

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of: Osamu Abe

Serial No.: 10/647,468

Group Art Unit: 2816

Filed: August 26, 2003

Examiner: Englund, Terry Lee

For: BAND GAP CIRCUM

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

| | <u>AFTER AMENDMENT</u> | <u>PREV. PAID FOR</u> | <u>EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</u> | <u>RATE</u> | <u>FEE DUE</u> |
|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------|
| Total Claims | 24 - | 22 | = 2 | x \$50.00 | \$ 100.00 |
| Indep. Claims | 6 - | 4 | = 2 | x \$200.00 | \$ 400.00 |

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$ 500.00

A check in the amount of \$500.00 to cover the excess claim fees is included herein. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

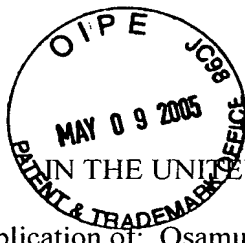
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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01 FC:1202 100.00 OP
02 FC:1201 400.00 OP